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1. ON AUGUST 16, SEOUL APPELLATE COURT TURNED DOWN APPEAL BY MYONGDONG DEFENDANTS FOR REPLACEMENT OF PANEL OF JUDGES PRESIDING AT THEIR TRIAL. DEFENDANTS MAY NOW APPROACH SUPREME COURT WITH SAME MOTION.

2. ROKG ANNOUNCED AMNESTY FOR 3,337 PRISONERS FOR INDEPENDENCE DAY AUGUST 15, BUT NONE OF THOSE RELEASED COULD BE IDENTIFIED AS POLITICAL PRISONERS. RUMORS THAT MYONGDONG DEFENDANTS MIGHT BENEFIT FROM SUCH A PARDON THUS PROVED FALSE.
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